



# Create a public knowledge base


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To make your knowledge base public and available to anyone with the link:

1. Go to **Settings > Security**.

2. Set the **Default Access to Public**.

## Security Settings

 Default Access controls what happens when someone goes to your knowledge base when they are not logged in. The Default Login Page controls what happens when someone clicks on login or logout.

Default Access ☒ Public

The knowledge base is available without a login. An optional login can be used to restrict access to content. This can be used with other login options like reader logins.

☐ Restrict by [reader](#) logins

Readers must log in to access the knowledge base. This can be used with other login options to provide multiple authentication methods.

☐ Restrict by IP address or shared password

☐ Remote Authentication — [View tutorial](#)

3. **Save your changes.**

If your site is public, it can show up in Google and other search engines.

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